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In re application of: **Gupta**Serial No.: **09/881,872**Filed: **June 14, 2001**

For: **Apparatus and Method for Selecting
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